
FEBRUARY 2, 1829.

Read twice, and committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. VAN RENSSELAER, from the Select Committee to which was referred the petition of the heirs of Robert Fulton, deceased, reported the following bill:

A BILL

For the relief of the orphan children of the late Robert Fulton.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives*
2 *of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That*
3 there be paid, out of any money in the Treasury, not other-
4 wise appropriated, to Robert Fulton, Julia Fulton, Cornelia
5 Fulton, and Mary Fulton, the sum of five thousand dollars,
6 with interest from the twenty-fourth of February, one thou-
7 sand eight hundred and fifteen, on account of the services of
8 their late father, Robert Fulton, in superintending the con-
9 struction of a steam frigate at New York, in the years one
10 thousand eight hundred and fourteen and one thousand eight
11 hundred and fifteen.